

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: **Dierks, Jr. et al.** § Group Art Unit: **2182**  
Serial No.: **10/621,948** § Examiner: **Park, Ilwoo**  
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For: **Method for Transferring Data from a**  
**Memory Subsystem to a Network Adapter**  
**by Extending Data Lengths to Improve the**  
**Memory Subsystem and PCI Bus Efficiency** § Confirmation No.: **1548**

AMENDMENT UNDER C.F.R. § 1.312

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**Amendment to the Title** begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.